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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 014, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-234

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell chicken and chicken products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Dec. 11. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 15. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 16 to Jan. 31, 2001.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-234, Appendix-1 and Amendment No. 1, the applicable Commodity Specification, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-234, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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Cut-up (221240) - Frozen cut-up chickens, 8 pieces, without necks and giblets. Cut-up chickens must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in a minimum of four plastic-film bags and packed 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,000 containers per purchase unit totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Cooked (221530) - Frozen cooked batter/breaded cut-up chickens, 8 pieces. The cooked chicken parts must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3 pounds (1.13 to 1.36 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packaged or packed in a minimum of three plastic-film bags or layers, respectively, and packed 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,300 containers per purchase unit totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

Bulk Pack, Small (221690) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is over 3.75 to 7 pounds (1.70 to 3.18 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY234
INVITATION : 014
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 12 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/01 - 01/31/01				
001	EAST HARTFORD	CT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
002	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
003	NEWARK	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
004	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/01 - 01/31/01				
005	PORT NEWARK	NJ		40,000
006	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
007	BIRMINGHAM	AL		40,000
008	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
009	MIAMI	FL		24,000
	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		16,000
010	ORMOND BEACH	FL	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
	PENSACOLA	FL	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
011	FORT MYERS	FL		28,800
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		11,200
012	ALBANY	GA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
013	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	DOUGLASVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
014	COLLEGE PARK	GA		40,000
015	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	23,360
	MAGEE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	16,640
016	JACKSON	MS		40,000
017	CHARLOTTE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
018	LEXINGTON	SC		40,000
019	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
020	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
021	LITTLE ROCK	AR		26,720
	MEMPHIS	TN		13,280
022	BATON ROUGE	LA		20,000
	HARAHAN	LA		20,000
023	HOUSTON	TX		80,000
024	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
025	INDEPENDENCE	MO		160,000
026	FRESNO	CA		40,000
027	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
028	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
029	SACRAMENTO	CA		40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,400,000

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COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 15 CHICKEN, BREADED COOKED FZN CP
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/01 - 01/31/01				
030	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	15,420
	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	23,580
031	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	21,210
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	17,790
032	WINTER HAVEN	FL		39,000
033	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	13,500
	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	25,500
034	CHARLOTTE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	26,910
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	12,090
035	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
036	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
037	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		39,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				312,000

COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/01 - 01/31/01				
038	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	144,000
039	BATESVILLE	AR	TRUCK ONLY	72,000
040	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	468,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				684,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY234
INVITATION : 014
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : 90 3 3/4 - 7 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/01 - 01/31/01				
041	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	540,000
042	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,872,000
043	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,728,000
044	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				4,176,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				6,572,000

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Contracting Officer

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